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Departures.

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Shipping Reports.

The French steamer Dupleix, from

Shanghai, reports: left Shanghai 21st Feb.

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New Advertisements.

TENDERS for the REPAIRS of the

at the Office of the Undersigned up to

FOR SHANGHAI.

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For Freight or Passage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

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NAVY CONTRACTS, 1869-70.

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BEEF, &c., will be received by the under-

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Fresh Beef per lb. English weight.

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A. H. PRICE,

Naval and Victualling Storekeeper.

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20th Feb. 1860,

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FOREMAN for the Printing Office of

Salary \$100 per month.

J. ROSS ANTON.

The Steamer

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Hongkong, February 24, 1869.

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被四十月二年九十六百八千一英 HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, 24TH FEBRUARY, 1869. Vol. XXV. No. 1784 AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. New Advertisements. New Advertisements. LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane NOTICE. Lombard Street. GEORGE STREET, 30.

NAVY CONTRACTS, 1869-70. EALED TENDERS, marked on the outside TENDER FOR BISCUIT, &c. will be received by the undersigned at or before Noon on SATURDAY, the 6th proximo, for the supply of the following articles for ZEALAND :- GORDON & GOTCH, Melthe Navy Service, from the 1st April, 1869 to 31st March, 1870, viz :-

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Naval and Victualling Storekeeper. Hongkong Victualling Yard, 20 February, 1869.

NAVY CONTRACTS, 1869-70. EALED TENDERS, marked on the outside TENDER FOR WATER, will be received by the undersigned at or before Noon on SATURDAY, the 6th proximo, for the supply of Water to H. M. Ships at this place, from the 1st April, 1869, to 31st March 1870. Conditions of Contract can be seen, and

further particulars obtained, on application

at this office. A. H. PRICE, Naval and Victualling Storekeeper. Hongkong Victualling Yard. 20th Feb. 1869.

> MAGIC AND PHYSIC PERFORMANCES.

ENOR TALLARA, has the pleasure to inform the public of Hongkong, that intends to give a series of Magic Performances at the Rooms of the PHILARMO-Mrs Broron, Mr and Mrs Christian, Mr NICA Society, Hollywood Road, commencing on THURSDAY, the 25th inst., at.8.30

> Hongkong, February 19, 1869. HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS

COMPANY LIMITED. OTICE - On and after the first day of March next, the office of this Company, situated over the Honekong Dis PENSARY will be closed. Letters can howfine weather to Heishan Islands, remainder ever be left as heretofore in a box placed of passage strong breezes from N. to N. E. for the purpose within the same building. and cloudy weather ; arrived at Hongkong The Company's Stock of Chandeliers and Feb. 25, at 7.30 a.m. Feb. 21, 7.30 a.m. other Fittings will, after the above date, be steads, met at Woosung H. M. S. Salimis bound on view at the premises of Messrs LANE, no, same date at 6 p.m., off Longting, saw | Chawford & Co., Queen's Road,

Hongkong, February 18, 1869.

HONOKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHARBHOLDERS.

HE DIVIDEND declared for the year I ending on 31st December last, at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum, say \$7.50 per paid-up Share of \$125, and \$1.50 per Share on which \$25 have been paid, is payable on and after MONDAY, the 22nd instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants.

By order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER. Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 15, 1869.

IF the Package left some years back at the BIELFELD & ZACHARIAE. Store of the Undersigned, addressed TAVE received by the last mail the Joseph Cullis, Esq., is not claimed within fourteen days from the date hereof, it and Newest Style of-PIPE the contents will be sold to defray expenses. now in use by

men of fashion, and as only a few have come into their early orders for the same are solicited.

A well selected stock of Smokers' Articles, such as Carved Cigarholders; Briar-root Pipes; Havana Cigars (choice brands); No. 2 and 3 Manila Cigars and Cheroots of the finest quality, in boxes of 200 and 500 each; Smoking Tobaccos (choice brands); Ci SITUATION Wanted by a CLERK, garett Paper, Tobacca Pouches, Flints,

who has been for years employed in &c., &c., &c. Also a fresh supply of Russian Cigarettas. Queen's Road, 88 & 90.

SHANGHAE. Canton Road, 6. Hongkong, February 15, 1869.

ANDREW MILLAR, Undersigned; an Englishman TTOUSE, SHIP, AND STEAM-BOAT COPPERSMITH & BRASSFOUNDER

FOR SALE. SHEET COPPER and COPPER PIPE. assorted sizes and thickness. SHEET BRASS and BRASS PIPE, assorted sizes and thickness, SHEET LEAD and LEAD PIPE,

assorted sizes and thickness. BRAZING SOLDER and BORAX. the 6th proxime, for the supply of the fol-lowing articles for the use of the VIOTUAL- Stuffing Box and Plain Plug FLANGE COOKS. COCKS. STEAM WHISTLES, assorted sizes and

Engine-room GONGS and BELLS, assorted | Boulder Lodge, Caine Road,sizes and patterns. TALLOW and WATER SYRINGES. Ship's Common and Double Valve WATER IRON, STEEL, COPPER, and BRASS

WIRE, assorted sizes. Brass CASTINGS, Executed on Moderate House Water Closets, Urifials, and Wash Hand Basins, in Earthenware and Enamel led Iron, fixed on the most improved principles, and at moderate Terms. 1. QUEEN'S ROAD EAST AND NULLAR LANE,

Opposite H. M. NAVAL YARD,

Hongkong, 9th February, 1869.

HE Office of the Wanchi STEAM BA-KERY, is removed to the Premises, corner of Wyndham Street and Queen's Road, opposite the Clock Tower. All orders left at the above place, or sent to the Bakery at Wanchi, will receive contract. prompt attention.

Hongkong, February 15, 1869.

OTICE :- All persons indebted to the GASKELL, of No. 57, Wyndham Street, and This House is let on a short Lease at No. 2, Club Chambers, Solicitor, are re- \$150 per month. quested to make payment and all persons OFFICES AND GODOWNS. having CLAIMS against said ESTATE are notified to send in their CLAIMS to Mr. Edmund Sharp, Solicitor, Bank Buildings, on or before the 31st May 1869. F. W. MITCHELL,

Executor of the Last Will and Testament of the said William Gaskell, deceased. Hongkong, February 15, 1869.

TOTICE is hereby given that the Captain and the Owners of the North German Barque "Albatros," will not be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.

Hongkong, February 10, 1869.

Auctions. PUBLIC AUCTION

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PLAT-ED. GLASS & CROCKERY WARE, do. ANE. CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell

fe25 Public Auction, on TUESDAY. the 2nd March, at Noon, at Brook Cot tage; the residence of G. J. PIRKIS,

The whole of that Gentleman's FUR NITURE, comprising - Mahogany Damask-covered Chairs, Couches, Marble and other Tables, a Piano, Pictures, Lamps, Plated, Glass and Crockery Ware, Sideboard, Wardrobes, Washstands, Bed-

An Aviary, with a fine collection Birds, Flower Pots with choice Plants, Saddlery, etc.

A few dozen of very superior dry Pale and Brown Sherry, Champagne Hock, Claret, Brandy, Whiskey,

TERMS OF SALE. - Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 All Lots, with all faults and errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, February 22, 1869. ma2 GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION.

ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, on

FRIDAY. the 26th instant, at Noon,-An Invoice of Perfumery, comprising Essence of Roses, Marechalle, Guard' Bouquet, Verbena, Oil of Roses, Bear's Grease, Marrow and Jamaica Pomatum. Circassian and Cold Cream, Tooth Powder and Tooth Brushes, Essence of Ginger and Peppermint, Seidlitz and Soda Powders, Brown and White Windsor and Honey Soaps, assorted Lozenges and Acidulated Drops.

Men's Brown and Faucy Cotton Half-Hose; Printed, Embossed and Embroid ered Table Covers.

Magenta, Yellow, and Red Dyes. Black Silk Hats, and Tweed Caps. Sundry articles of Household Furni-

(For account of the concerned.) An Invoice of Rodger's really best Cutlery, consisting of Pen, Pocket, Pruning and Bread Knives; Nail, Embroidery, Office, Hair-Cutting, and Tailors Scissors, etc., etc., etc. And the usual miscellaneous assort-

TERMS of SALE .- Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. the 5th day of March, 1869, at Noon, All lots with all faults and errors of de on the premises,scription at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. Hongkong, February 23, 1869. fe26

PUBLIC AUCTION. DOWRA & Co. will sell by Public D Auction, on

26th February 1869, at Noon, precisely at the residence of the Hon. Judge BALL,

The whole of Elegant Household FURNITURE, Crockerywere and richly-cut Glassware, Horses and Carriages, Sedan Chairs, Wines, and about 350 Pots Choice Plants,

TERMS OF SALE, Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.1.7 All lots with all errors of description whatever at purchaser's risk upon fall chaser from the fall of the hammer. of the hammer. Catalogues will be issued.

Hongkong, February 22, 1869,

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. sale by Public Auction, in June next, unless previously disposed of by private

DWELLING HOUSE, containing 8 Rooms and Bath Rooms with Servants' Offices and Stables detach-ESTATE of the late Mr WILIAM ed; the whole surrounded by a Garden.

A House containing 4 Offices and Spacious Tea Room, with fire-proof Go-Rooms below, Servants' Offices &c., at-

adjoining the above. This property has water frontage, is situated in the most eligible portion of

the business quarter of Foochow, and is let on a Repairing Lease for 5 years, commencing from the 1st May next, at the annual rental of \$4,500.

Office of the Trustees, No. 7, Pedder's

Hongkong, February 1, 1869. PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auc-

SATURDAY.

the 27th inst., at Noon, on the Ground. The eastern portion of Inland Lot No. 798, with eight substantial Chinese Houses erected thereon, situated at Syingpoon, and measuring on the North side (Battery Road), 105 feet, on the East side 262 feet, on the South side (Third St.), 81 feet, and on the West side, 2134 feet; the total area being about 25,206 square feet.

The Crown Rent amounts to \$199.60

TERMS OF SALE. - One-half of purchase Money to be paid on fall of the hammer, the balance on completion of the

The Property to be at the risk of the purchaser from the fall of the hammer. All expenses of transfer to be paid by

For further particulars apply to H. KLÆR. Auctioneer.

Hongkong, February 20, 1869.

sell by Public Auction, on

. That spacious, handsome and conveniently situated DWELLING HOUSE on CAINE ROAD, built on Inland Lot 157 with the Out Offices and extensive Ground attached. The Lot measures on the North

chase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, the balance on completion of the deed of transfer. All expenses of transfer to be paid by the purchaser. The property to be at the risk of the purchaser from the fall of the hammer.

Auctioneer. Hongkong, January 7, 1869,

PUBLIC AUCTION. HE Undersigned has received in W. H. FORBES, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT, structions to sell by Public Auc- S. D. Sassoon, Esq. Esq.

FRIDAY,

Those Lots of LAND, situated in Queen's Road, East, a short distance beyoud the Eastern Market, and registered in the Land Office, as

The Lot contains a substantially-built two storied Godown, Inland Lot No. 526, containing in the

whole 8000 square feet. For further particulars, apply to the

TERMS OF SALE .-- One-half of the Purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance on completion of the deeds of transfer, the expenses of which to be paid by the Purchaser.

J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. HE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY. the 25th February, 1869, at 12 o'clock at his Sales Rooms, Commercial Bank

Buildings .-50 gross Wax Vestas. 50 gross patent safety Matches. 50 doz. Tooth Brushes.

25 doz. Cards Tools 5 gross small bottles red Ink. 25 doz. Deception Glasses. 12 coils Deep sea Line. 6 bales Marline. 3 bales Houseline.

3 bales 2-yarn Spun Yarn, 3 coils 3-yarn Spun Yarn. 10 bales Hemp Packing. I bale Woollen Trusses. 3 cases each 2 doz. Tins Meats. 2 barrels Beef.

5 1-barrels Dried Apples. 40 doz. Ground Paint Brushes, as sorted. 25 boxes Mohair Braid. 50 doz, boxes Toye.

2 1-barrels Pork.

20 Hams. 200 boxes Yellow Soap. 1 bale 20 bolts Canvas. 25 pcs. Prints. 10 cases American Tobacco.

I case printed Flannels. 50 doz. Cambrio Handkerchiefs. 25 casks Beer. 30 cases Morton's Pickles, assorted.

5 cases fine Oat Meal, in bottles. 5 cases assorted Syrups 3 cases each 12 Cheeses. 6 cases prime Bacon, 120 lbs. Chocolate. 1 coil 31 inch Hemp Rope.

1 coil 34 inch 3 coils 41 inch A small Invoice of De La Rue's Staionery, comprising:-

10 reams cream-laid Post | Ruled. 8 reams blue wove , 12 reams blue wove .. 5 mil cloth-lined official Envelopes, assorted, Nos. 2, 3, 4 and

23 doz. printing Cards, assorted. 30 reams blue-wove Bank. 30 reams blue-laid Post.

30 reams cream-wove Post, ruled. 30 reams blue-wove Post, ruled. 50 reams cream-laid Note Paper. An assortment of Ledgers, Day Books, TIHE Undersigned has received in Journals, Letter Books, Blank Books, structions from the Mortgagee to Portfolios, Letter Press-copy Books, etc.,

Glassware and Sundries: Decanters, Tumblers, Wine Glasses, Sugar, Basins, Butter Dishes, Salt Cellars, Vases, Soap Stone Ornaments, Pictures, etc., etc.

(For account of the concerned,) 18 cases Champagne. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery n Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctionser. Hongkong, February 23, 1869, fe25

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION.

SUBSOBIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-GEO, F. HEARD, Esq. Deputy Chairman-Julius Menke, Esq. GEORGE J. HELLAND, Hon. J. B. TAYLOR, A. Joost, Esq.

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E. R. Belilios, Esq.

Managers. Ohief Manager.

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6 in 4 per cent. , 12 ,, 5 per cent, ,, ,, LOUAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. VICTOR KRESSER.

Chief Manager.

Shipping.

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

FOR SINGAPORE & PENANG. The Steam-ship will have quick despatch for the above ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, February 19, 1869. FOR SINGAPORE & LONDON. The British steamer

will be despatched for the above ports on or about the 1st proximo.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

THE BURNEU CO. LIMITED. Hongkong, February 19, 1869, FOR SHANGBAI, CHEFOO AND

TIENTSIN. Loading at Canton and Hongkong.) The S. S. will have immediate despatch for the above ports.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. or DEACON & Co., Canton. Hongkong, February 17, 1869. FOR NAGASAKI, HIOGO AND

The North German steamer " VULUAN." Capt. Voss, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to EDOUAND SCHELLHASS & Co.

YOKOHAMA.

Hongkong, February 8, 1869. FOR SINGAPORE & BOMBAY. The British steamer Captain Wood, will load for the above ports and be despatched on or about the 23rd instant.

For Freight, apply to SOMJEEBHOY VISRAM, Agent for Charterers. Hongkong, February 15, 1869.

FOR YOKOHAMA. (With immediate despatch.) The British Ship "LAHLOO." 767 Tons Register. For Freight, apply to A. G. HOGG & Co.

Hongkong, February 8, 1869. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The Amr. Ship "SHIRLEY," Captain Ferguson, will have

quick despatch for the above For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, January 29, 1869. FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER The British barque "NEPTUNE,"

R. I. Buesnel, Master, of 287

tons Register, carrying capacity

For further Particulars, apply to ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, February 10, 1869,

Notices to Consignees.

HE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take mmediate delivery. Ex "Hoogly," 31st October, 1868.

1 case Arms. Ex " Cambodge," 2d February, 1869. C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.

Hongkong, February, 2, 4869. **Notices of Firms**

NOTICE. THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. WILLIAM NEILSON in our Firm ceased on the 30th June last. Mr Tobias Pim, Mr William Nisber OLMSTED and Mr H. SEYMOUR GEARY are authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, October 6, 1868. THE interest and responsibility of Mr GEORG WILHELM SCHWEMANN and of Mr RUDOLPH HEINSEN in our firm ceased on the 31st December 1867, and 31st Dec-

ember 1868 respectively. Mr FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr HEIN-RICH ROPFIUS have this day been admitted VICTOR KRESSER, Esq. | partners in our firm at Hongkong and in China, which now consists of Mr GEORG DAVID MACLEAN, Esq. THEODOR SIEMSSEN, Mr WOLDEMAR NIS-LONDON BANKERS. - London and County SEN, Mr ADOLPH JOOST, Mr FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr HEINRICH HOPPIUS.

SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1869. 2apr NOTICE. HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.

C. LANGDON DAVIES.

Hongkong, July 1, 1868. NOTICE, THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr FREDERICK PEDDER in our Firm ceases from this date, H. D. BROWN & Co.

Amoy, December 31, 1868. MR. FRANCIS CHOMLEY is a Partner in IVI our Firm, which from this date will be conducted under the Name of BROWN

H. D. BROWN & Co. Amoy, January 1, 1869,

日四十月正年已已治同

THE Property at Foochow, known as DENT & Co.'s, will be offered for The Property consists of

downs, large Treasury, and Compradore's Three large Godowns, A, B, and C,

For further particulars, apply at the

PUBLIC AUCTION.

WEDNESDAY. the 3rd of March 1869, at Noon, on the Premises under the power of sale contained in the deed of Mortgage,-

and Northwest 136 feet, on the South (Caine Road) 132 feet, on the East 346 feet and on the West 331 feet,-the total area being 45,103 square feet. The ground rent is \$199.48 per annum. For further particulars, apply to the TERMS OF SALE .- One half of the puri

J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Inland Lot No. 517, containing in the whole 4000 square feet,

Undersigned.

Property to be at the risk of the Pur-

Hongkong, February 19, 1869, ma5

For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum,

Auctioneer.

Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, January 1, 1869,

R. WILLIAM JUDSON BLYDENBURGH, IVA and Mr GEORGE HUBLBUT are admitted partners in our Firm.

Firm per procuration. SMITH ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

Swatow on the 31st December 1868. quirements of the present season. In reference to the above the undersigned hereby intimate that they will continue ING, of the latest Fashions, always on to carry on the above Medical Co-partnership under the name of JONES, SCOTT &

Müller. C. M. JONES, B.B.O.S., L.B.C.P. C. M. SCOTT, L.R.C.S.I. AUG. MULLER, M.D., M.R.C.S., L.S.A.

January 25, 1869. HAVE this day authorised Mr C LANGDON DAVIES to sign my name per procuration to all orders for goods supplied to the Hougkong Hotel, and I alone am liable to pay for goods supplied upon such

I have further authorised Mr Davies to collect all debts due to me on Hotel account, for which his receipt will be a sufficient discharge. LEE AFOONG.

Hougkong, December 1, 1868. NOTICE. ROM and after this date Mr George F.

S. L. PHELPS.

Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER

EGIFFORD FORBES PARKER. aigon, December 20, 1867.

NOTICE. IN E have authorized Mr Chaus Bunds to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE. R.D. O. CLARH retires from our Firm and Mr J. MURBAY FORBES and Mr E. D. BARBOUR are admitted Partners from this date.

RUSSELL & Co. China, January 1, 1869.

or sale.

JUST LANDED IND FOR SALE. ONE of JULIUS LAYLAND & Co.'s celebrated HARMONIUMS, with ten stops, in walnut case.

J. B. MORRIS Messrs Bowka & Co.'s, Queen's Road. Hongkong, January 29, 1869.

FOR SALE. Ex Late Arrivals. DEST Hoth's Rope, from 2 in. to 10 in do. Lanyard, do, do, Seizing-stuff and Ratline, 6 thrd. to 24 thrd. do. do. Signal Halliards.

do. do. Loglines. Wire Rope, from 1 in. to 41 in. Five tons of Hubbuck's White Zinc Paint Best J. H. H. Gin, in white square bottles, 1 doz. cases. Holland Gin in small and large bottles: Muntz's yellow Metal, from 18 oz. to 26

French Salad Oil. 1. FRICKEL & Co.

Hongkong, January 28, 1869.

LAOU-TI-KEE BOUQUET.

I.T is impossible to find anything more exquisite or more distinguished than this Perfume, which we can assert without fear of contradiction to be one of the choicest ever brought before the Public, J. LLEW! LLYN & Co.,

Sole Proprietors of the well known Laou-ti-kee Hair Wash, Which requires no Pomade.)

Laou-ti-kee Dentifrice. The greatest preservative of the Teetl and Gums ever introduced to the Public. Medical Hall. Shanghai. SOLE AGENT FOR HONGRONG.

The Victoria Dispensary longkong, February 6, 1869.

FOR THE RACES.

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE,

AVE RECEIVED EX MAIL STEAMER

HONG KONG.

Large assortment of MILLINERY BONNETS, and HATS, of the latest fashions.

A Choice assortment of SILK, MUS. LIN, and GRENADINE, for Evening

A fine assortment of new French FLOW.

ERS. HEAD DRESSES and FEATHERS. large assortment of new TRIM-

MINGS and FRINGES in all colors. Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid GLOVES;

Gentlemen's Drab Shell and Felt HATS. Blue and Green GOSSAMERS, &c.

in white and colors, all sizes.

(BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT, 20, Foochow Road, Shanghai.

Hongkong, February 3, 1869. Hongkong, January 30, 1868.

Fer Sale

MESSRE. KOSS & Co. EG to inform the public of Hongkong that they had established themselves Mr HENRY CUTLER LOW will sign our TAILORS & GENERAL OUTFITTERS.

on the premises hitherto occupied by Messrs LADAGE, UELKE & Co. Having secured the services of an experienced European Cutter, and also having TOHN CARNEGIE, M.D., h.M., M.A., received per late arrivals a very superior ceased to be a partner in the firm of stock of NEW GOODS, of the latest pat-JONES, CARNEGIE & SCOTT at Amoy and | terus, they are prepared to meet all the re-A large stock of Ready-made CLOTH-

KOSS & Co.,

Queen's Road Central. Hongkoug, February 5, 1869.

PER MAIL, &c. ISS GARRETT has received Plain and Fancy SILKS, SATINS, TRIM-MINGS, &c., &c. Ladies' and Children's HATS and BON-

nets, flowers, &c. Courvoisier's Kid GLOVES. White French Jean and Satin BOOTS. Ladies' and Children's Walking BOOTS,

SLIPPERS, &c. Foot BALLS, Croquet CAMES and STANDS, Race and other GAMES, DOLLS, and TOYS of all kind, in great variety.

Hongkong, February 15, 1869. 15ma Per " Mait Steamer" and late Arrivals, MISS ROSE

[[AS received a choice assortment French GLACES, black and colored, BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the BAREGE and FANOY DRESSES, black Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this and colored piece VELVETS and SATINS in the newest shades. Plain and Fancy RIBBONS, VEL VETS, SASH RIBBONS, and DRESS TRIMMINGS in great variety, Real CLUNIE and VALENCENNES LACES. Ladies' and Children's trimmed and untrimmed HATS in all the fashionable

Ladies' BONNETS latest styles, Plain and Fancy SUNSHADES, French FAN-

Ladies' and Gentlemen's French K GLOVES and BOOTS. Ladies' White Satin and Kid BOOTS A large assortment of French and English HOSIERY, Gentlemen's Black and

Drab Shell HATS, SHIRTS, COLLARS, TIES, do., &c. Henrie's PERFUMERY. WELLINGTON STREET, Opposite the Catholic Chapel. Hougkong, February 13, 1869.

S. W. BAKER & Co., DEG to invite inspection of their New D ST. CK for the Season, received per

late arrivals, including :-Ladies' Hats, Bonnets, Opera Cloaks, Dresses in plain and fancy Silks, Poplinstes, Reps, and new Textures, French Robes, ready made, French Sashes, Belts, Jackets and Mantles, new shape Jupons, white and scarlet Corsets, Lace Falls, Lace

Sangeter's Umbrellas, Christy's new shape Felt and Shell Hats, a choice lot of Neck land. Scarfs, Ties, Wrappers, Collars, Socks, Fancy Tweeds and Coatings, Braces, &c.

Brussels Carpets, Velvet Pile Carpets and Rugs, All Wool Damasks, Lace Curtains, Table Covers in great variety, Damask Table Cloths in all sizes, Table Napkins, D'Oyleys, Blankets, Counterpanes, Sheetings, Flannels, Wool Mats, Turkish and other Towels, &c.

Children's Trimmed Hats, Boots, Perambulators, Picture Books, Toys, &c. Dressing Cases, and Travelling Bags fitted, for Ladies and Gentlemen, Playing Cards, and a large assortment of Stationer and Perfumery Goods.

S. W. BAKER & Co Hongkong, December 22, 1868.

New Advertisements. COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.

The Company's steamer 'DUPLEIX," Capt. Norz, will be dispatched for Yokohama direct, shortly after the arrival of the next French Mail. C. BERTRAND

Principal Agent Hongkong, February 24, 1869.

BILLIARDS, BOWLS, AND

HE URIENTAL BAR, BILLIARD ROOMS,

and Bowling Alleys, having been enlarged and fitted up in a very superior among the Pilots, it shall be duly notified style unequalled by any in the Colony, the in the local prints; and eight days after-Proprietors Re-open the above on Monday, wards, the Board of Appointment shall proand the public, and trust with civility, Good Liquors and the well known remerit a share of their patronage. There | been a Licensed Pilot, has had his License are three first class Billiard Tables in a withdrawn, and also any candidate who Bowling Alley needs no comment.

BROWN & Co., Proprietors, Hongkong, January 9, 1869.

PHOTOGRAPHS IN PURE GOLD ON IVORY.

A NEW INVENTION BY W. P. PLOYD. HE Undersigned have much piensure in Producing PHOTOGR PHS en Ivory Wood, Stone, or any other substance-in

It is a well known fact that Gold is the only Metal that will resist Atmospheric Oxidation; hence these Photographs are

The Prices are about half of the so called Permanent Ivory Types, on Collodo-Chloride of Silver; the Invention of G. W. SIM son, Esq., Editor of the Photographic News. An Inspection is solicited. Life Size Photographs will be produced at this Establish ment in a few days.

FLOYD & Co.

New Advertisements.

WANTED. FOR the General Mess on board H. M. Troop-ship " Adventure." A Good Persons applying must have a thorough knowledge of their work, Apply on Board. Hongkong, January 8, 1869.

"JAPAN TIMES" OFFICE, Yоконама, January 26th, 1869. HIS is to certify that Mr J. B. MORRE

is hereby appointed General Agent for the "Japan Times," "Daily Advertiser" and "Japan Overland Mail," Newspapers, and authorized to collect all monies due on account of the same in Hongkong.

(For the Proprietors,) CHARLES RICKERBY. Hongkong, February 8, 1869.

Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at low rates constantly on hand or baked in quantities at short notice.

BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. ratus and Cream TARTAR. FLOUR, of best Brands constantly on

CAKE of all kinds baked to order. of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders | country. Any Pilot lending his License

prompt attention. L. P. WARD. Hongkong, February 17, 1868,

HE Undersigned has been directed to notify all whom it may concern, that the following Regulations for the Pilotage. Service of this Port, will come in force on the 1st March next.

CHINESE PILOTAGE SERVICE GENERAL REGULATIONS, WITH LUCAL RULES FOR THE PORT OF CANTON.

GENERAL RECULATION I. Bue Laws and Local Rules. 1.—Bye Laws and Rules necessary for Pilot Boats shall deposit their national the better ordering of Pilotage matters at | papers with their Consul or the Customs the Ports are to be drawn up by the Har- they shall be at liberty to move freely bour Masters in consultation with the within the limits of the Port and Pilotage Consuls and Chambers of Commerce, with | ground, and shall be exempt from Tonnage whom also it rests, in the same way, to fix Dues. On the requisition of the Harbour the number of Pilots, Tariff of Charges, Master or his deputies, it will be obligatory

2.- The number of Pilots for the Port | belonging to either Customs or Harbour of Canton shall not exceed Thirty Five. 3.-The Pilotage Ground for the Port of Canton shall be defined as follows, viz.: --For the inner limit a line drawn across and other Trimmings, Ribbons, and Rib- the River immediately below Belcher Is- a fee of Twenty Taels for renewal of License bon Velvets in all colors, Hosiery, Kid, land, and for the outer limit a line drawn Cashmere, and Bronze Boots, white Satin from Macao Light East to the Island of Boots and Kid Gloves. A large assortment Lantau for vessels using the Lantau pasof Wool and Embroidery Works, as Cushion | sage or Great West Channel, and for vessels | carry the Pilot Boat Flag during the time Patterns, Smoking Caps, Masala Sets, &c. using the Cap Sing Moon passage a line he is on board, but no Pilot is authorized North from Victoria Peak to the main-

> 4.—The Pilotage Charges shall be as follows ; viz :--

cor Sailing Vessels: Whampoa to or from Hong-Whampoa to or from Macao. Cauton, For Steamers:

Whampoa to or from Hongkong. Drawing 6, 7, 8 or 9 ft. 20, 21, or 22 ft., -Whampoa to Canton, any draught

(in fall) - - -GENERAL REGULATION II Pilots :- Individuals Eligible. The subjects, citizens, or protégés of Treaty Powers, shall, equally with Natives of China, and without distinction of nationality, be eligible for appointment when vacancies occur, by the Board of Appoint ment, subject to the General Regulations now issued, and the Bye Laws to be under

them enforced at the several Ports respec-GENERAL REGULATION III. Board of Appointment how to be constructed. The Board of Appointment shall consist of the Harbour Master, as President, the (ora) Senior Pilot, and two persons whose names shall be drawn by lot by the Harbour Master, from a list prepared and

published by the Harbour Master, in con-BAR, sultation with the Consuls and Chambers of Commerce. GENERAL REGULATION IV. Vacancies how to be filled up. 1.-Whenever there may be a vacancy

the 11th January, 1869, to their friends | ceed to fill it up by a competitive Examina-2:-The Board may refuse to admit to putation of this old-established House, to the Examination any one who having once

large airy and well-lighted room. The unable to produce Cousular certificates as to character, &c. 3.—The Examination shall be public and gratuitous, and the vacancies shall be given

tf to the most competent of the candidates. without distinction of nationality, provided always the competency of the first on the prenticeship of at least three months, list be not relative but absolute. 4.-The Consul concerned may in person or by deputy, be present and take part in

the Examination of cardidates. 5. -The majority of the votes of the membringing before the lublic, for the bers of the Board shall decide the admission first time, an entirely New Invention, for of Candidates for Pilot Licenses; each member having one vote in the ballot; but in the absence of the Consul concerned the

Harbour Master shall have a casting vote.

GENERAL REGULATION V. I flot's License, by whom to be issued. 1. Pilot's Licenses shall be issued by the Commissioner of Customs, in the name and on behalf of the Chinese Government. Liconses issued to Pilots put being Natives of China shall subsequently be viséd and registered at the Consulate concerned. 2. On the first of July each year, every Pilot shall pay the sum of Ten Haikwan Taels for the renewal of his License.

3.—Every Licensed Pilot shall be given a printed copy of the General Regulations New Advertisements.

and Local Rules, and shall produce the same as well as his License when required. GENERAL REGULATION VI.

the River, stating when and where he left Apprentice Pilote; how to be taken. the vessel, and giving the latest informa-1.—It shall be allowable for each Licensed tion in regard to her he may be in posses-Pilot to take an Apprentice for whom he shall be responsible. On the Application of Pilots the Harbour Master will supply apground, the fault not being his own, shall prentices with special certificates. be entitled to compensation at the rate of

me dollar per day.

10.—Should any vessel get aground, the

Pilot in charge must report to the Harbour

Master without delay, specifying bearings

11.—The Pilots must give immediate no

12.—Any Pilot demanding or receiving

13.—Any person having a complaint to

14 .- The Rules and Regulations of any

lots must be submitted to the Harbour

The above Rules and Regulations have

Canton, 5th February, 1869.

HARBOUR REGULATIONS FOR THE

PORT OF CANTON.

from Gully Point on the south side of

American Reach to a creek on the north

side, and from Sulphur Point a line E.N.E.

to the north bank of the main river, for the

2.—The General anchorage shall be in-

cluded between the Customs Hulk and the

Eastern or lower limit; the space between

the Customs Hulk and the upper limit shall

only be used by men of war, steamers or

other vessels laying up or intending to dock,

Western or upper limit.

W. T. HODDER,

Harbour Muster.

make against a Pilot must communicate it

2.—When the circumstances of the Pilot appear to demand it, the Harbour Master may authorise apprentices to act temporarily, and within certain limits, as I ilofs, provided they have received certificates of comof known objects, vessel's draught of water, petency from the Board of Appointment. time of tide, nature of bottom, &c., &c., GENERAL REGULATION VII. Licensed Pilots to whom subordinated:

Unlicensed Pilotage, &c. tice to the Harbour Master of any obstruc-1. Licensed Pilots may carry on their business either singly or in companies. tions in the channels, and of any accident They must pay due respect to the wishes known to have happened to buoys, beacons, HE Undersigned having PURCHASED and instructions of the Harbour Master lights, &c. the Interest of the "WANCHI STEAM under whose orders and control they are BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hong- placed, and who is invested with power to more or less than the established rates for kong and Ship Masters that he is prepared suspend or dismiss, subject to an appeal to Pilotage for this port shall be liable to susto furnish Dally Supplies of Soft BREAD | the Consul concerned. When the Pilot is in various forms, to any part of the Co- a foreigner the appeal to be lodged within

in writing to the Harbour Master. 2. If guilty of any misconduct for which Consular punishment has been inflicted, or Company or Companies formed by the Piif proved to have committed any offence Also Vater, Butter, Soda and Sugar against Revenue Laws, the individual concerned may be suspended or dismissed by Master for his approval. Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, the Harbour Master subject to an appeal to CORN STARCH, BICARB. SODA, Sale- his Consul. If a foreigner the appeal to be been drawn up by the Harbour Master in consultation with the Consuls for the lodged within three days.

3 .- Any one piloting without License, or Treaty Powers at this port, and approved hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or making use of another's License, shall be by them and may be amended or added to subject to prosecution, before his own in the same way. authorities, who will deal with the offender The above is under the Superintendence in accordance with the Laws of his own forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at to another will be proceeded against and Mesars MacEwen & Co.'s will receive dealt with in the same way, in addition to forfeiting his License.

4.—Any commanding officer employing an unlicensed person to pilot his vessel will between a straight line drawn from the be liable to be fined in the sum of One N. W. point of No. 3 Flat Island to a mound Hundred Taels by the authorities to whose on the eastern end of Louisa Island, for the jurisdiction he is amenable. Eastern or lower limit; and a line drawn

GENERAL REGULATION VIII. Pilot Boats: Regulations to be observed. 1.-Pilot Boats shall be registered with their crews at the Harbour Master's Office. where each Boat will be given a certificate and number. The word "Licensed Pilot Boat" shall with the number be legibly painted at the stern, and on the head of the mainsail, and a Flag of which upper horizontal half shall be yellow and the lower green, shall be flown. Such registered and define the limits of the Pilotage on registered l'ilot Boats to convey from place to place within the limits employes Master's Department with such stores as may be wanted for either Light House or

Light Ships. 2.—Every Licensed Pilot Boat shall pay on the first of July each year.

3.—In case of a Pilot going off in an unregistered Boat he will be authorized to East and West through Green Island or to cruise in an unregistered Boat without special permission from the Harbour Master. 4.—The owner or hirer of an unregistered Boat making use of a Pilot Flag and not having a Licensed Pilot on board shall be prosecuted before the authorities to whom he is amenable or whose flag or national

Ensign he has the right to use. 5. - A Registered Pilot Boat is not permitted to fly the Pilot Flag save when there is either a Licensed Pilot or a certificated

apprentice on board. GENERAL REGULATION X. Harbour Pilots, Vessels in Harbour,

1 .- The duties of the Harbour Tilots. where such exist, will be to take charge of Vessels at the outer limits of the Anchorage, berth them in accordance with the orders received from the Harbour Master' Department, take charge of Vessels shifting berths going in or out of dock or to or from a Wharf or out of the anchorage, and to assist in and report to the Harbour Master's Office all matters concerning the shipping in Port and the conservancy of the

River or Harbour.: 2.—In berthing vessels the Harbour Master will as far as possible meet the wishes of Commanding Officers and Consignees, and the Entrance, Working, Clearance of Vessels taking berths not assigned to them shall be stopped by the Customs until the Harbour Master's orders are complied with.

3.- Vessels are to moor in accordance with orders received from the Harbour Master and are not to remove from the anchorage without his permission.

The above Rules and Regulations are provisional and may be amended or added to according to circumstances. LOCAL RULES.

1.—The Board of Appointment for the Port of Canton shall be composed as follows

The Harbour Master as President, Naval t fficer or Master of a Merchan Ship, the Master of ore of the Steamers running regul rly between Hongkong and this Port, and the Senior Pilot, 2.—The fee for a Pilot's License at this Port shall be Twenty Taels.

3.-Every Pilot when receiving his License shall execute a Bond for one Hundred Taels conditioned for the due observance of the Regulations and Local Rules. 4 -No Apprentice Pilot shall be entitled to an examination as to his qualifications to act as Pilot, until he has served an ap-

5 -Any Pilot wishing leave of absence shall make application in writing to the Harbour Master. Absence from duty for a period of more than three days without sufficient cause, shall render the Pilot liable 6.-No Pilot shall quit the vessel of

which he is in charge, without the Master's written consent, before the service for which he was employed has been performed. 7 .- Every Pilot will be provided by the | fore the Honorable John Smale, Esquire, Harbour Master with a book in which the Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Master of any vessel piloted shall state Supreme Court House, Victoria, Hongkong, whether the Pilot concerned has conducted

formed his duty in a satisfactory manner. 8 .- Upon arrival of any Pilot in charge of a vessel be should report to the Harbour Master as soon as possible after the yessel has anchored, stating when and where he tock charge of her and giving full particu- Official Assignee. lars of the passage up the River; and any Pilot having taken a vessel out of Port

New Advertisements.

New Advertisements. shall make or cause to be made as early as SAILORS' HOME, WEST POINT. possible a report to the Harbour Muster giving full particulars of the passage down Trustees. Hon. W. Keswick, | - Forbes, Esq. JOHN DENT, H. G. THOMSETT. Esq. . B. N. 9.—Any Pilot carried off the Pilotage Directors

> Hon. H. B. GIBB, W. MACAULAY, Esq. G. J. HELLAND, Enq. D. SASSOON, Enq. Rev. W. R. BEACH G. HEARD, Esq. W. LEMANN, Esq. J. J. MURRAY, M.D. Committee of Management.

Hon. W. KESWICK, Chairman. W. MACAULAY, Esq. | H. G. THOMSETT, G. J. HELDAND, Esq. | Esq., R.N.

CONATIONS of Books, Periodicals, Newspapers, Clothes, &c., will be most hankfully received. . OVERBURY.

Hougkong, October 29, 1868. PASSENGERS. The following European passengers left this for Canton yesterday morning :-Messrs H. Seymour Geary, J. Alexander, J. M. Forbes, Jr., J. M. Nixon, Jr., Ed. Richardson and J. Wyles; Mr and Mrs T. Thomas, Mr and Mrs L. P. Ward; Capt. Chas. de Longueville, H. I. C. M.'s S. The following European passengers arrived bere from Cauton this afternoon ;-Messrs Jos. Schardlin, M. A. Correa and

CARGOES. (From the Canton Customs Daily Returns. Summary of Imports and Exports passed at the Canton River Steamer Office from

Hongkong :-2759 bales Hengal Cotton. 607 bales Bumbay Cotton. 130 bales Native Cotton. 113 bales Cotton Yarn. 108 chests Patna and Malwa Opium, 30 flasks Quicksilver. 26 packages Medicine. 12 casks Ginsting. 65 packages Wax.

385 packages Tobacco. 18 cases Rhubarb. 36 packages Shrimps, 161 packages Cuttle Fish. 63 bales Wool.

and vessels discharging Timber. The fair way for steamers and all other craft passing through this anchorage shall be within 70 fathoms from the south shore longkong :of the River, and no vessel shall be allowed 83 cases and bales fine Silk. to anchor or make fast in such place or 69 cases Silk Piece Goods. manner as shall in any way obstruct the 105 cases Punjum. said fair way.

4. Vessels arriving at Whampon shall stop below the lower limit of the anchorage until the Harbour Master has assigned them a berth, from which berth they shall not move without his written permission. 5. - Vessels arriving upon the flood tide shall turn head to tide before coming within

the limits of the anchorage; and shall drop into the berth assigned to them, 6.—Steamersor vessels towed by steamers will be allowed to proceed to the Dock Companies' moorings or upper portion of the anchorage without stopping, but they must change their berth if required by the

Harbour Master to do so. 7.—Vessels shall be moored with Fortyfive (45) fathous of chain on the flood anchor and Thirty (30) fathoms on the ebb or more if the Harbour Master so directs, and

shall keep clear hawse. 8. - Vessels shall if required by the Harbour Master rig in jib and spanker booms and top or brace up lower and top sai

9.—From aunset until sunrise all vessels anchored in this Port must show a bright light at least Twenty (20) feet above the deck, and all buoys within the anchorage must have a light upon them, 10.-No Ballast, ashes or any thing that will sink, shall be thrown overboard, but must be landed at some place above high water mark approved of by the Harbour Master. All vessels discharging or taking

apread in such a way as to prevent any ballast falling into the river; 11.-No titch, or other inflammable substance, shall be boiled on board any ship in

in ballast, shall use registered Ballast boats

only, and they shall have a sail or tarpaulin

the anchorage. 12 .- any vessel arriving with Gunpowder or other combustibles, on board (in excess of what is necessary for her own armament) shall exhibit a red flag, and shall anchor at a distance of not less than one mile from the lower limit of the anchorage until the master of such vessel has commu-

nicated with the Harbone Master. The above Harbour Regulations have been drawn up by the Harbour Master in consultation with the Consuls for the Treaty Powers at this Port, and approved by them, and may be amended or added to in the

W. T. HODDER Harbour Master. Cauton, February 5, 1869.

OTICE is hereby given that Owners or

or Captain of the American barque

" Adelia Culeton," will not be Responsible for any Debts contracted by her Officers or ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, February 1, 1:69 IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG. KONG IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE -CHARLES COLLINS of Victoria. in the Colony of Hongkong, second Clerk in the Magistracy, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy filed in the Fupreme Court on the This tieth day of December One thousand Eight hundred and Sixty-eight. a Public Sitting for the said Bankrupt to H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 27 p. c. p. pass his last examination, and make application for his dischange, will be held be- Union Dock ... on the Twenty-sexth day of February, the such vessel in safety, and otherwise per- thousand Eight hundred and Sixty-nine, at Eleven of the clock in the forenoon pre-

> At this Meeting, proofs of the Debts of the (reditors will be received. Frederick Sowley Huffam, Esquire, is the Supreme Court House, Hongkong, 30th January, 1869.

8th to 20th February :-Imported per Kinshan and Poyana from 1.—The Whampoa anchorage is included

851 bales and cases Cotton Goods. 138 bal-s and cases Woollen Goods. 165 packages Sundries. Exported per Kinshan and Poyang to

4 самев Соссона 3 cases Shawls and Handkerchiefs. 9 packages Uhinaware. 16 rolls Matting. 16 cases Paper. 19 packages Tobacco. 340 pigs Lead (re-export.) 1451 piculs (36 tons) Cassin. 29 cases l'reserves. 86 packages Turmeric.

29 cases Rhubarb 100 cases Chestnuts. 1287 piculs Sugar. 1000 tubs Sugar Candy. 114 cases Glass Bangles. 35 cases Glue. 18 boxes Glass Beads. 50 packages China Root. 302 cases Kittysols.

7 cases Umbrellas. 61 tons Tea.

208 packages and parcels Sundries. POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS. MAILS WILL CLOSE:-

For INDIA, EUROPE, &c. Per La Compagnie des Services Maritimes des Messageries Imperiales Str. "CAMBODGE" To-morrow, the 25th iust., at 1 P.M. To and through the United Kingdom via Marseilles to France and other Continental States (in a closed mail to France): to Saigon, Singapore, Galle, India; Aden, Seychelles, Reunion and Mauritius, Suez and Alexandria; after which no letter can be received. Letters for Registration will be received until noon on the 25th Inst. Correspondence intended to be forward

ed by the vessels of the above company must be superscribed per Message ries Imperiales Packet F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General.

Hongkong, February 24, 1169.

General Post (ffice, Hongkong,

QUOTATIONS. Rongs ong, 24th February, 1869. OPIUM .- Patna, New ... Benares, New, Malwa, COTTON, - CALCUTTA, SHANGHAE. BOMBAY, Exchange. Bank, 6 months' sight, On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 2235 a 224 " Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 2231 a 224 ", Shanghae, 3 days' sight, Bank, Tla. 740 Tls. 741. Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B. Mexicans. Gold Bar, 98 touch.

> 27 p. c. dis. Temperature Hongkong, 24th February, 1860. Queen's Road.)

H. & W. Dock, Old, 10 p.c. dis.; New, 20 nom.

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- Forbes, Esq. H. G. THOMSETT. Esq., E.N.

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H. G. THOMSETT. Esq., R.N. , Periodicals, News-

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A. OVERBURY, Superintendent. 29, 1868. GERS.

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Queen's Road. Hongkong, January 13, 1869.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 24, 1869.

THE CHINA MAIL.

THE approaching departure of Mr Ball for England has naturally given rise to some little speculation as to who will be his successor as Judge of the Summary Jurisdiction Court. There is no lack either of aspirants for the post, nor of duly qualified men to take it, though it is possible that the former class exceeds the latter in number. The Ordinance under which the Summary Court is constituted empowers the Governor, "in case of the death; temporary illness, or absence" of the judge, to appoint "any fit and proper person temporarily to discharge the duties of the said office," and it is a matter of much importance that the qualification here described be strictly insisted on.

There is of course no definition of what may constitute "fitness" in the eye the Governor, but we have no reason to fied person, while at least four qualified men could be found in the Colony to whom the offer could be made.

The judge himself must be "a barrister

at law in England or Ireland or an advo-

cate in Scotland of not less than five

years' standing," so his locum tenens

should, if possible, fulfil the same condi-

It would be premature to speculate as to who will be Judge Ball's successor. But one necessity in appointing an Acting Judge cannot be overlooked a certainty that he is acquainted with Chinese habits and not liable to the imposition which native litigants so frequently attempt. The advantage possessed by a Magistrate or Judge who understands the bye-play which so constantly goes on in Court, who can accurately estimate the value of evidence as given and not translated is acknowledged on all sides, Were such qualified officers more plentiful than they are, the administration of justice in this Colony would be vastly facilitated

It is satisfactory to find that the Chamber of Commerce, having taken up the opium squeeze question in real earnest, has succeeded in drawing the attention of the authorities to the abuses which existed. The subjoined correspondence, with copy of which we have been favored, speaks for itself, and the Chamber may be to a certain extent congratulated on the regult of its action, as the abolition of search at sea is decreed, and this is something gained. But we do not notice that any thing is said by the Viceroy on the subject of the Lekin Tax. The stock arguments on both sides of this question are familiar to dur readers. All foreigners are compelled to admit that if China is entitled to the "rights" of an independent power, her Government may levy a | sels bound to treaty ports or in Chinese tax of a thousand dollars per chest upon | vessels chartered by British Merchants opium if she chooses, where the drug those ports, is open to question, and is a is not owned by foreigners. By Treaty, foreigners pay an import tax of thirty taels per picul only. But the advocates of Chinese privileges (in one sense justifiably) assert that the moment it is out of foreign possession we have nothing further to say. The position we have taken up is that to which all arguments involving a free right taxation on the part of Chinese invariably come that if it unduly harasses us we should not allow that right, True we have no "right" to interfere, but our residence at the open ports is no more justifiable than our interference with the Chinese tariff. It is quite as much opposed to the wishes of the Chinese authorities, but it suited to insist upon it, and we did so.

policy is called "bullying." But it the only course to pursue, and we do not care to chop arguments in view of the history of our past relations with China. We trust that the Chamber will not rest until it has induced our representatives to insist upon the abolition of a tax which is induly harassing to both falsely assume the character of such. foreigners and natives. Opium is not the only article upon which it is levied, and it is not authorized by the Peking

The following is the correspondence

Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce, 10th Feb., 1869. To the Hon, J. GARDINER AUSTIN,

Colonial Secretary. Hongkong, Sig, The Chamber of Commerce has been pressed to bring the subject of the exactions made upon opium when leaving this Colony before the notice of His Excel- various parts of the Province are engaged lency Sir Richard Graves MacDonnell, at Hongkong in the transportation of R.C.B., and although feeling that the mat- foreign merchandize, which they carry in ter is a delicate one to deal with-the con- all directions to supply the market, a porditions imposed upon the article being so tion of these pay duty at the Central Custotally different from those prescribed even tom House at Canton, and others at the They can easily be procured without, thus to in the treaty between Great Britain and branch Custom House at Swatow. China, as attaching to all other articles of foreign import, - yet the Committee feeling | nience of those engaged in the trade, with that the action taken by the Mandarins in the restriction only that evasion of search this immediate neighbourhood, as set forth and other practices connected with smugby a gentleman representing an Indian gling are forbidden. Juasmuch, also, as it, for how does he know it was not you be firm largely interested in the opium trade the branch Custom House (at Swatow) is of this Colony, cannot, if persisted in have subordinate to the jurisdiction of the uny other effect than that of nullifying to a Central Office, the administration, although "What is the difference between a legal on his mind. It was a very serious quesgreat extent the advantages which Hong- seemingly divided, is in reality one and the document and a cat?-One has pauses at

to bring the question to the notice of the surrender of permits at these places, estab-MORRIS'S DIRECTORY Chinese authorities, with an urgent request lished rules are in existence, and smuggling

close s roximity to the Island, another tax of 'fls. 16 (equivalent to \$22 per picul) is characters of cruisers in the Custom's Serare subject to be overhauled as soon as their own caprice, exciting thereby alarm they leave the harbour itself, it must be among those interested in the said ves-

In substantiation of the statements above referred to, the Chamber have been furnished with a copy of a memorial addressed to His Excellency some weeks since from a Chinese Hong(上環和發行 i.e. Woo-fat-hong) bearing upon the same aubject, the contents of which will doubtless be fresh in the memory of His Excel-

lency, and to which therefore it is need less now to revert Feeling that the trade of the Colony thus being hampered in one of its mos important branches, in what cannot be otherwise termed than an unwarrantable manner, the Committee of the Chamber would urgently request the prompt interference of His Excellency in a matter affecting so closely the wellfare of the Colony over which he presides.

I have the honor to be, Sir, Your most obedient servant. (Sigd.) W. J. BRYANS,

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE 17th February, 1869.

Sir,-I have submitted to His Excellency Sir Richard Graves MacDonnell your letter of the 10th instant, and am directed to state in reply, that nearly all the points adverted to in your communication have been already brought to the notice of the Chinese authorities through the medium of Her Majesty's suppose that he would select an unquali- Consul at Canton. It is already several weeks since the Acting Registrar General was directed by His Excellency to proceed to Canton, accompanied by the witnesses required to prove some of the outrages which were then being frequently inflicted on the persons and cargoes of legitimate peaceful traders in Chinese vessels clearing from this Port.

The result of the investigation thus hel at Canton at the instance of His Excellency has been to substantiate even to the satisfaction of the Chinese Authorities the reality and serious extent of the outrages in

Under these circumstances it is satisfac tory to find that the Vice-Roy has already taken active measures to terminate the ur just and harrassing system of squeezing; frequently accompanied by violence, which had been practised on native traders from this Colony; and that he has not only caused the withdrawal of the improper notilication by the Customs in November last, but has also issued a fresh notification of stringent character in favor of legitimate

Copies of that document and of the covering despatch of Consul Robertson are now enclosed for the information of the Chamber of Commerce, which will see that secure legitimate trade in British manu- to-morrow. factures from the recurrence of similar ex-

At the same time the Chamber must remember that neither Her Majesty's Government nor this, except in the event of fresh treaty rights being conceded, can interfere to prevent the Chinese Authorities from levying further exactions on opium which has once passed into the hands of Chinese traders, though the right to levy such increased tax on opium in British yeasubject which occupies the attention of Her Majesty's Government. -I have the honor to be, Sir, your most obedient servant,

J. GARDINER AUSTIN, Colonial Secretary. W. J. BRYANS, ESO. Chairman of the Chamber of Commer

BRITISH CONSULATE Canton, Feb. 8th, 1869 Sin, - Referring to your despatches No. 622 of the 30th December, and No. 40 of of the 22nd January last, respecting the seizure of a Hougkong Licensed Boat by vessels which, the petitioner states, assumed the character of Chinese Revenue cruizers, and a notification issued in November last by the Superintendent of Customs, I have I was ordered to be given over to the Opium the honor to acquaint you that I have been in communication with the Authorities on the subject, and that at my request the atter, in original and translation, I now enclose, from which His Excellency The Governor will see that, subject to existing regulations with regard to lovy of duties, the search of vessels by Customs' cruizers at sea is forbidden, and measures will taken to apprehend and punish those who

I have, &c. (Signed) D. B. ROBERTSON on. J. GARDINER AUSTIN. Esq. Colonial Secretary.

Proclamation.

The Viceroy of the Two Kwang Provinces, &c., &c., Jui;

The Superintendent of Maritime Customs for Kwangtung SHIH : Issue a stringout prohibition. Whereas sengoing vessels belonging to

The track pursued is left to the convekong would otherwise possess as a free same. As regards the collections made at the end of its clauses, and the other has after.

that the grievances complained of may be is strictly prohibited. The clerks and underlings employed are equally prohibited It is stated that an exaction of \$125 per against practising illegal exactions; all of chest is levied under the head of the Leikin | which has in times past been notified by tax; in addition to which, with the aid of proclamations now on record. It has of cruisers and custom houses established in late been ascertained that certain evil-disposed persons have falsely assumed the further exacted. Such proceedings being vice, and have stopped trading vessels the guilty persons, and the complete eradi

allowed, and the fact that trading junks at sea, levying exactions from them at acknowledged places the Colony in a worse sels, and causing a stoppage of navigatrading position than any of the treaty tion, to the great detriment of the mercantile community. Such conduct is deserving of the severest reprobation. The Viceroy and Superintendent of Customs have now, accordingly, decided in concer upon stringent measures for the seizure of eation of their manceuvres. The Customs at present employ no steamers, and the guardboats appertaining to this department do not make cruises at sea for the pursuit of smugglers, general orders being issued to the guardboats attached to the various offices directing them to cruise exclusively in the vicinity of their respective stations, and forbidding their putting to sea to search for smugglers. This measure is adopted in order that the false may be distinguishable from the true, and the capture (of essels sailing under a false character) by proclamation. may be facilitated. The Superintendent of Customs has further withdrawn and cancelled his Proclamation issued in No- when the adjourned special Criminal Sesvember last, with reference to the employ- sion was resumed. The three men charged | the memorial lately presented to Sir Rument of steam cruisers for the pursuit of with having committed a robbery on board | therford Alcock by British Subjects of Chismugglers, whilst the Viceroy has issued the steamer Orissa during her voyage from ness Descent :orders to the commanders of the steam Singapore, and convicted by the Jury of cruisers to search for and to apprehend the that offence, were brought up. As the vagabonds who have falsely assumed the evidence consisted partly of admissions Rutherford Alcock, K. C. B., H. B. character of preventive employés on board vessels of various descriptions, who, on being seized, will be brought to condign punishment. In addition hereto, this Proclamation is further issued. Wherefore it is hereby notified to all persons for their information. Do ye henceforward pursue your respective callings in peace, and carefully avoid infractions of the law and mischievous proceedings. If, after this, there still be evil-disposed persons who fraudulently assume the character o cruisers under the Superintendent's Customs' flag, and stop trading vessels for the purpose of levying exactions, they are hereby declared as) differing in no respect from pirates, and they shall be visited without fail, when seized and brought to justice, with the utmost penalty of the law. The execution of the law ensues upon this, our warning, and no leniency shall be shown

Let all tremblingly obey. A special Pro-Dated February 6th, 1869. (T'ung Chih 7th year, 12th Month, 25th day) Translated by

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(True Copies) J. GARDINER AUSTIN. Colonial Secretary.

LOCAL.

WE hear that a Chinaman who was wound ed in a piratical attack made some days so far as the Vice-Roy's Proclamation goes, ago in Deep Water Bay, died from the a considerable step in advance has been at effects of his wounds this afternoon. An tained, although much more is required to inquest will be held at the Civil Hospital

Mr May on the Bench. Mr Spreechly, engineer, charged two of his servants with having refused to work. Defendants, who had been in his employ for four months, were cook and table-boy; and yesterday they showed signs of insubordination. At 6. p.m. the cook refused to supply dinner and the table-boy did not lay the table-cloth or make any prepara tions for dinner; and plainly told their master that they would not work. - Defendants raised a vague sort of defence, to the effect that they had refused to work any more, because their master had charged

them with having stolen a copper pipe -Mr May, however, fined each \$10, or one month's imprisonment with hard labor. Young Achow, at No. 10 Mercer Street Taipingshau, is one of those men who will persist in selling or preparing opium, spite of the heavy fine attendant upon such an offence. \$120 worth of common description opium and fourteen balls Patna opium were found in the defendant's house; which was confiscated. Proof as clear as day was produced of the extensive frauds carried on by defe dant in this connection; and Mr May fined defendant in the sum of \$250 which was immediately paid. The whole of the prepared opium and part of the fine

Two out of the three Chinese in custody charged with having stolen the watch and Proclamation in question has been with- chain from the Captain Superintendent of of fear, drawn and another substituted. A copy of Police, were committed for trial at the Supreme Court. The first prisoner was discharged, as there was no evidence against him; and one of the witnesses who appeared for the defence was ordered to find security in \$100 to appear in a month? time. In the defence, the second prisoner endeavored to prove that the watch had been put into his pocket by the actual thieves; but this did not prevent this man (on whom the watch and chain were found) from being committed for trial without bail. The third prisoner was admitted to bail in \$400.

> UNSELFISH LOVE THE SOURCE OF HAP-PINESS. - Wherever unselfish love is the mainspring of men's actions; wherever happiness is placed not on what we can gain for ourselves, but on what we can impart to others; wherever we place our highest satisfaction in gratifying our fathers and mothers, our brothers and sisters, our wives and children, our neighbours, and friendswe are sure to attain all of happiness which the world can bestow.

> UMBRELLAS. -- An American paper says : There is no need of buying umbrellas. Take your stand in a doorway on a rainy day. As soon as you see a man with a nice umbrella, step out and say to him, "Sir, I beg your pardon; but you have my umbrella!" Nine times in ten he will surrender stole it from ?"

A New York paper has the following :-Port, make free to petition His Excellency the outports, and the registration and claws at the end of its paws-os."

SUPREME COURT. CRIMINAL SESSIONS. Feb. 24, 1869,

THE CHINA MAIL.

The February Sessions were resumed and concluded this forenoon-Judge Ball prasiding-when the Jury again attended His Honor expressed his regret that the Jury had been called upon so often in these sittings, but it was unavoidable on his part.

Lee A On and Sung Ayee, who had been found guilty at last sitting of having committed a robbery with violence upon a woman at Sheko, was brought up for sentence. The Jury having stated that they were satisfied that prisoners had used personal violence, the Judge pronounced sentence. He said it was needless to make use of many words to men in their position; and he would therefore be very brief. The Ordinance gave him power to flog, and they would be flogged accordingly-very severely. The sentence of the Court therefore was, that the prisoners be imprisoned with hard labor for fifteen months, and that they receive three floggings of 36 strokes each within the first six months of that

Low Sing Loc-charged with fraud, but against whom the Attorney General did not wish to proceed as the offence (if such it may be termed) was more civil than criminal-was next brought up and discharged

The Hon. Chief Justice sat at 11.30, Recorder. point, previously reserved for argument General, was brought forward.

The Chief Justice remarked that the argument could not affect all three prisoners alike, as there existed evidence against the first prisoner independent of any

The Attorney General laid it down generally that all admissions elicited by questions put by the police could be used as vidence. This he was prepared to prove by authorities; but he thought the question was more one of policy than of lawwhether the policy was expedient in the administration of justice in this Colony.

His Lordship remarked, once for all, he sat on the Bench here to carry out and terpret the law of England; any special circumstances of this Colony were provided for by the Ordinances.

The Attorney General further stated that he of course did not mean that the presence of threats did not disqualify any such admissions as evidence; that was a matter of proclaimed a Republic! "On the 27th course. But he would further shew by question went very strongly to support the newly-acquired power."

A. G.'s view of the matter. His Lordship remarked that Mr Taylor presumed to say that the old cases were

The Attorney General observed that the law was changed by the fact that the old cases had been all overruled: and that, upon the Judge's own argument, if this be the law in England, why should it not be so here? This proposition was first clearly laid down in the Queen v. Thornton, and was supported by a string of cases decided

distinct line drawn between admissions voluntarily made and those elicited by ques-

tions nut by constables. Thu A. G. admitted that, but submitted that the law clearly laid it down that, whether elicited by questions or not, admis-

His Lordship, touching the beating on English principles of confessions was, that | polis of Japan," they should not be extorted by means

The A. G. said that no such principle was laid down in the books.

His Lordship said that of course no such case of thrashing a prisoner into a confession had ever come into an English Court. It would be very desirable that some special provision should be made in the local law for cases like the present; but he could not alter the law.

The A. G., however, put it that, however reprehensible, any such admission was admissible as evidence; and the only question remaining was that of policy whether they should or should not be used.

the discretion of the Court in such matters. | ardour of the braves will have been cooled accept, according to recent decisions.

strongly objected to this mode of evidence. especially in cases of murder, but it had been of no use; and the practice had been followed. He would admit every confession, had he the power to do so; but it

of all the recent cases in England.

had the difficulties he mentioned pressing tion; and he would give his decision here-

Prisoners were then removed,

Wong Awing was brought up for sen- to Nanking, that he had pity on the foreign also be considered.

granted accordingly.

CORRESPONDENCE.

ATAI V. FRANCISCA BERGER.

To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL." Sir,-In your report of the above case you state that I was to return some dress to the tailor, whereas it was agreed that he handed me back the same. Your inserting this will oblige.

Yours faithfully, FRANCISCA BERGER Hongkong, February 24, 1869.

THE NORTH.

We have files from Shanghai to the 20th The following items are from the

"British Consulate, Shanghai, 15th Feb. -Gentlemen,-I am directed by H. E. made by the prisoners themselves, this Minister Plenipotentiary &c., &c., to acquaint you that he has received the memobetween his Lordship and the Attorney rial, together with a letter to the address of H. M.'s Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs which you placed in my hands for transmission to Pekin, and I am to inform you that as you have addressed yourselves with a copy of your memorial direct to the Foreign Office, His Excellency deems it inexpedient to enter into the matter so referred to the higher authority.an, Gentlemen, your obedient servant, W. H. MEDHURST, Consul. To L. Yuen-Yow & others, British Subjects of Chinese

> The News Letter has the following paragraph:- " ome Catholic Priests, lately arrived at Hankow from the North, report the Mahommedan Rebels in strong force on the road to Pekin; and from their knowledge of this new movement against the Imperial Government, they predict the fall of the Celestial Empire within the year!"

(N. C. D. News.) One of our Japan contemporaries writes that the ex-Tokugawa rebels in Yesso Jan. a hundred and one guns from the forts, authority that any question asked and an- replied to by as many of their ships as they swered, if not referring to an escapement | have left, announced the fact to the deafrom the charge, was admissible in evidence. fened inhabitants of Hakodate, while on In behalf of this contention, the A. G. shore, a motley procession marched in quoted a case, in which even starving a boy state to Kamida. Universal suffrage, conto obtain a confession was not considered fined to themselves, they state to be the by the judges to affect the admissibility of | basis of their model government; Imperial the confession. This was in 1824, and officers and foreigners not being asked to other cases, showing that the law was much | vote, but allowed to volunteer affirmative less stringent now than it was then, were ballots only and the lower classes 'agriculauthorities overruling many old cases. turists, artisans and merchants' being of Even the offer of spirits, offer to see friends | course left out of the question. No Presior remove handcuffs, or any mode of decep- dent has as yet been named, but a petition tion practised upon a prisoner, did not is in course of signature to H. M. the Mimake an admission bad in evidence unless kado to send them a Prince of their old the inducement related to an escape from | clan to rule over them by the grace of God the charge. Taylor on evidence was quoted, and the voice of the people.' All suborand the terms in which he speaks of the dinate officials have been elected by this

The Japan Times says a force of 30,000 men is being organised to be sent against the intruders, directly the weather permits. The withdrawal of the neutrality notification places unlimited means of transport at the disposal of the Japanese Government; and the sale to it of the steam ram Stonewall gives it a man-of-war which is alone capable of contending with the four vessels that, oaly, the Tokugawa retain out of the eigh

with which they started. An Osaka proper says that preparations for altering the directions of the river's bed at that port are fast being proceeded with. "The whole of the course intended to be taken by the river is marked out by little flags. The project seems stupendous enough. To turn a river's bed some 10 miles from its original course is a Herculear task, and were we in any other country but sions were admissible as evidence for what Japan we should almost expect to see the they were worth. Whether it were politic | whole affair result in the Bankruptcy Court to press any particular confession or ad- ere its completion; but in this country of nission, was another question; but upon | clieve labour we have only hope left usthe bare legal basis, whatever weight might so we hope it will succeed. After the be attachable to it, an admission made by course of the river has been changed, they prisoner, even in answer to direct ques. | intend building a break-water on one side ious by a constable, was admissible in evi- of the Osaka bar so as to form a perfect harbour for ships, and we trust that ere long we may see noble vessels riding at board the Orissa, said that one of the great | anohor in the port of the commercial metro-

> A Chefoo correspondent writes under date 9th February :-

A report was set affoat among the people that the Tientsin troops quartered here had orders to attack and murder all the foreigners at Chinese New Year. Consul called the attention of the Taotai to this, and has of course received the most re-assuring explanation. Meanwhile the gun-boat Insolent has been moved in to th bay, and is anchored close before the town and patrols are to make the round of the approaches to the settlement, every night during the Chinese New Year festivities. Of course, no one believes these rumours but it is just as well to be on one's guard His Lordship asked in what consisted and if there was any truth in them, The A. G. said the Court was bound to by seeing an Euglish gun-boat off the town and knowing that they will have a plentiful The C. J. observed that he at first dose of shells bursting about their heads and burning their barracks on the first signal of their becoming objectionable. is very curious that these rumours were not confined to Chefo, but existed through the country. A Missionary who was makwas not the law of the Colony; he wished | ing his accustomed tour of preaching last week, at about 20 miles distant, found his group. The A. G. said that it was the tendency quondam hearers all shutting their ears and doors against him, and telling him His Lordship observed that he was in a that they had orders not to hear him any difficulty as to the distinction between vo. longer, and that he and all his kindred luntary and other admissions; and he also would be killed in a few days. There can ary objects. He was not a little surprised had great doubts as to the element of fear be no doubt, but a very great change has one day to find a counterfeit shilling among in the matter. If he decided against the taken place in this province with regard to the coppers; and on asking the class who A. G., he would do so with regret, as he foreigners, and no doubt it forms part of put it there, the donor was pointed out to had no doubt (as the A. G. put it) that a general anti-foreign policy which the him by one who had seen him deposit it. "common sense and justice had been sa- mandarins have orders to stir up, in the "Didn't you know this was good for no-

> affair was a triumph of Tseng-kwo-fan, know the difference; so I thought it would that he damaged the ships of war that went ! be just as good for them."

let China alone.

tence, for having stolen \$1,500 from the devils he had worsted, and out of charity ship America. As the Jury had recom- gave them rice and meat, and told them mended prisoner to mercy on account of the to go away. We hear that, at Peking, the carelessness of Captain Perks and prisoner's story goes that all the Foreign Ministers youth-in which recommendation both the went in a body to Prince Kung to ask par-Attorney General and the Court concurred, don for the Yang-chow affair, and that, his Lordship sentenced prisoner to six after great persuasion on the part of the months' imprisonment with hard labour. Prince, and great humility on the side of The Judge remarked also, that his contract : the Ambassadors, at last the Emperor as a coolie to go to Peru or Havana might | condescended to allow them to remain at Peking, on some condition of degradation to the European ladies, -too obscene In Bankruptcy, Mr Hans Kiær appear- to be mentioned. All these things are ed to pass his final examination; when Mr | studiously disseminated amongst the peo-Sharp appeared on his behalf. Discharge ple, and every means are used to show that the Government does not like the foreign element in China. The other day, one of the most respected of our Missionaries bought a piece of land close to Chefoo in order to build a house for other assistants in his work, shortly expected from England; and the literati of the village actually petitioned the Chi-Hyen of the district to forbid the transfer of the The near approach of native holidays

prevents business of any importance. Today the Custom House closes for ten days, so that during the whole of that time nothing can be done in the way of landing imports, or shipping exports; thus causing considerable detention to the five vessels now in port. Since the regular steamers ceased running (in the middle of December last,) large quantities of staple goods and other foreign manufactures have been im-The following reply has been received to ported per steamer Chihli and Kiu-Shu, and some five sailing vessels, all from Shanghai, Grey Shirtings 81 lbs., various chops, have been dealt with freely, large parcels having changed hands at remunerative prices. advise sales yesterday at Tls. 2.16. Opium has remained low for the last two mouths. We hear of considerable sales yesterday by the leading foreign bong, at Tis. 515 cash. Some few weeks back and owing to some speculation by the large native hongs, Malwa touched Tls. 523, and large sales effected. It was then thought by some small holders that Tls. 550 would soon be its value; and I imagine they held for that figure. Referring to the robbery on board the Amur in January, and which was ascribed to the "starved out miners," I am glad to state that; upon information filed upon cath, the British Consul duly authorized, and with aid from the British gun-boat Insolent, in the shape of a file of marines, has this morning at daylight effeeted, the arrest of a large number of diggers of different nationalities. The result I hope, will enable the authorities to discover the perpetrators of an act which can be termed nothing short of piracy. For the steady improvement of this port and immense increase in trade during last year, I need only refer you to the Unstoms returns issued last month; and from which it will be seen that Chefoo is something more than the "Pretty little bathing place" it was described last year in one of your "Dailys." During next season, commencing on the cessation of the holidays, a large and remunerative business is anticipated by both foreign and native merchants. The weather has been delightfully fine, in fact, quite unseasonable, and the Chinese complain of want of snow.

THE FIJI ISLANDS.

From some statistics compiled by the British Consul at Fiji we take the following particulars :-

The total estimated acreage under crop by white settlers in 1867 was, in cotton, 2400 acres, yielding about a bale of 350lb. per acre; in coffee, cotton, corn, beans, yams, and vegetables, 800 acres. In course of cultivation for the next year, 1500 acres-making for 1868 a probable total of 4700 acres.

The estimated area of land held by Europeans was, in December, 1867, 160,000 This quantity has been largely increased during the present year. There were at the same date 30 cotton gins and five steam engines in active operation. 35 cows and seven horses comprised the whole of the great cattle in the country, but these figures have also been added to materially during the present year. There I should observe, no market for beef or mutton, except to a limited extent in Levuks, as the settlers are scattered, and live on their own produce, and on the pigs and poultry of all kinds which flourish in the

The operations of the white settlers are at present confined to the low lands. The mountains, with their couler climate and suitability for subtropical products, and perhaps for sheep, are entirely in the hands of the natives, and likely to be so for some

The white and half-caste population at the end of 1867 were Whites (British) 252 men, 45 women 114 children-411 American, 31 men, 1 woman, 6 children-38; other nati us, 40 men, 1 woman, 2 children-43; half-castes (British), 85 men. 63 women, 90 children-238 : American. 23 men, 21 women, 57 children-101-831 giving a total of 492 white settlers, and 839 half-castes. The half-castes are classed with the nation to which the father belongs, and are under the cognisance of its Consul. In the following six months the white settlers had largely increased in number. having risen from 492 on the 31st December, 1867, to 815 on the 30th June, 1868. The increase consisted of-Men (British) 249; American, 1; others, 12-262; women (British), 27; children, (British) 34: showing a total increase of 323.

The returns of shipping inwards are for 1867, 24 British and I foreign vessel with a gross tonnage of 3797 tons, while the number of small crafts in the inter-island trade was 18, measuring 350 tons. During the six months of the following year (to June 30th, 1868) the entries were 20 British and I foreign, measuring 2909 tons,

During 1867 three small vessels and many boats were built in the Islands. The vessels were of 30, 40, and 45 tons respectively. Ship and boat building promise hereafter, as commerce increases, to become an interest of some importance in the

A THOUGHTFUL Boy. - A certain Sunday. school teacher was in the habit of making a collection in his juvenile class for mission. crificed at the shrine of mercy;" but he liops that the Burlinghame Mission will thing?" said the teacher. "Yes," ansucceed in getting the European powers to swered the boy. "Then what did you put it in the box for ?" The boy coolly replied. It is reported here, that the Yang-chow I' I didn't s'pose the little heathens would

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STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA, MARSEILLES.

ROMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS. AND CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steam-ship "CAM RODGE," Commandant DESPAUDATS, will leave this Port for the above places. with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE and CARGO, on THURSDAY, the 25th In tant, at 2 P.M.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.

Cargo will be received on board until P.M. of the 24th Instant, Specie and Parcels until o P.M. of the 24th Instant Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the Company's office Hougkong CONTENTS AND VALU OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED. O. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.



PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK TEAMERS of this line will be despatch O ed as follows :---

19. June A Steamer will leave Shanghai on shous same date, connecting at Yokohama

with above-named steamer. Passengers ticketed through to California. Mexico. Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Palisins and Aspinwall

Return tickets issued at a reduction 10% upon the whole amount for the round

Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," " West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company, (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inmau, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship Co., and North German Lloyds,

Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and from Swatow. Amov and Foochow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports | the issue of Money Orders. of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as: far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton

and St. Nazaire, France. Freight to United States payable in advance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent additional, at shipper's option.

For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent.

Post-Dilice Notifications.

L-On the 1st October next, and thenceforward Money Orders will be issued at this Office and at the Agencies thereof at Shanghai and Yokohama on all the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts not excessing £10, at the rate of Exchange Current for Each Mail, and charged with Commission according to the following Stale, viz. :-

For sums not exceeding £2,............12 Above £2 and not exceeding £ 5,....24

2.-No Money Order to include a fractional part of a Penny, 3.-Orders drawn in the United Kingdom upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued at

the time of their presentation. 4-Alphabetical Lists of over 3,700 Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom, shewing the Counties in which they are situated, are hung up for public reference at this Office, and also at Shanghai and Yokohama

5. - Applicants for Money Orders must furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least, the initial of one Christian name, both of the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remitter or Payee he a Peer or a Bishop, his ordinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the usual designation of such firm, such as "Baring Brothers" will suffice; but the General Post Office, Hongkong, mere term Messrs., such as "Messrs. Rivington," or the name of a Company trading under a title which does not consist of the names of the persons composing it, such

as "Carron Co." is inadmissible. the name of the Payee; in such case, the by this route must be addressed via "San Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank.

Bank, a receipt by any person will be suf-ficient, provided the Order be crossed with For Letters, 24 cents pe the name of the receiving Bank, and be presented by some Person known to be in ounces, 4 cents. the employ of such Bank.

8.—The signature of the Payes of a Mo- per 4 ounces. Payee be unable to write he must sign the will be sent via Suez. receipt by making his mark in the presence of a Witness, who must sign his name, with his address in the presence of the Officer The pays the Order.

Pust-videe Notifications.

9.—Should the Payee of a Money Orde desire to receive payment in the Country in which the Order was issued, at some other Office than that in which the Order was originally drawn, the transfer will be granted. provided the Order be inclosed to the Postmaster of the Office in which it was drawn. In such case a new Order will be issued, the Commission chargeable upon which will be deducted from the amount of the new Order.

10. - in the event of a Money Order miscarrying or being lost, a duplicate will be granted on a written application from the Payee, (containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an additional Commission) to the Office where the Original Order was payable.

11. On the receipt of a similar application, orders will be given to stop paymen of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed Order. The additional Commission in the last case will be deducted from the amount of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be presented with the application for a new

12.—But when it is desired that any error in the name of the Remitter or Payee should be corrected or that the amount of Money Order should be repaid to the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country, application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have reference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the amount of the New Order.

13.—Repayment whether of an original or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn.

14. -Payment of an Order must be obtained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July, otherwise the Order will become lapsed. and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amount of the Order, will be charged) will become

15. -If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn, -for instance, if drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January-all claim to the Money will be forfeited, unless, under peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn think proper to allow it.

16. -After once paying a Money Order by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. a wrong payment, however, be made owing to negligence on the part of any Officer the Post Office, the Postmaster General of the Country or Colony in which the negl gence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

17.—No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received. 18. Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better working of the system generally will be made as occasion may require.

19.—Should it appear that Money Orders are used by mercantile men, or others, either in the United Kingdom or at Hongkong. Shanghai or Yokohama, for the transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise By Command.

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office. Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

formation that, the Contract between the Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Government of Mauritius and the Union | Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Har-Steam-ship Company, for the Conveyance. bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. of Mails once a Month between Ceylon and Mauritius, and between Mauritius and ceived, and transmitted to the Directors Natal, having terminated, the correspon- for their decision. dence for Mauritius will be forwarded from this Office in the Mail for Aden, from whence it will be sent to its destination by Life. the French Mail Packets leaving Aden for Reunion and Mauritius on the 23rd of each | posals or any other information apply to.

2. No alteration has been made in the rates of Postage on correspondence addressed to Mauritius.

3. As the communication with Natal and the Cape of Good Hope is thus cut off, the correspondence for those Colonies, unless marked to be forwarded by Private Ship, will, in future, be sent in the Mails for London at the following rates of Postage, which must be paid in advance, viz :-Upon Letters sent by way

of Southampton, 46 cents each 1 oz. When sent by way of Marseilles,..... 54 Newspaper via Southam-

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oz., 20 cents, above 4 oz. and not exceeding 8 oz.; and 20 cents for every additional 8 oz. Book Packets via Marseilles, 14 cents

under 4 oz.; 28 cents above for and not exceeding 8 oz.; and 28 cents for every additional 8 ounces. F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General, 9th September, 1868.

It is hereby notified for general information that henceforward closed mails for the United Kindom will be made up at this 6.—The Remitter on stating that the Or- Office and forwarded to London by the Under is to be paid only through a Bank, to ited States Mail Packets via San Francisco. have the option of giving or withdrawing Correspondence intended to be forwarded

Letters, Newspapers, Booksand Patterns, will be liable to the same rates of postage 7.—When an Order is presented through as those sent by the British Mail Packets sals, &c., apply to

For Letters, 24 cents per half-ounce. For each Newspaper not exceeding 4

. For a packet of Books or Patterna, 8 cents hey Order to be affixed to the Order in the The Postage must in all cases be paid in

> F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General. General Post Office, Hongkong February 1, 1869,

Docks. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

COMPANY, LIMITED.

HAREHOLDERS are requested to take notice that the Eight call of Fifty ollars on the new Stock of the above named Company is due on the 1st March next and will be payable at the office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Ma-

Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum will be changed after the above By order of the Board of Directors,

GEORGE N. MINTO, Secretary. Hongkong, December 1, 1868

FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED

HE above Dock has been in full working order for the last four years. Length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth of water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet, neaps 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out For further particulars as to the price of

coppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to I. D. TILLINGHART, Eaq., Messis De Silver & Co., Hongkong; Mesara Boyn & Co., Shanghai; or to the Undersigned In connection with the above is the powerful Twin Screw Tug " WOOSUNG." Vessels requiring the services of this Tug

either from Matsou (where a splendid an-

chorage will be found during the S. W.

monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application JOHN C. SKEY,

Manager.

Pagoda Anchorage, River Min. THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED

HE Company respectfully call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels, to their Establishment at Hongkong and Whampon, for the DOCKING and REPAIRING of Vessels of all classes.

At Hongkong the Company have the only Dock in the harbour,-a Granite Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and drawing 22 feet of water.

Attached to it there are Shipwrights, Blacksmiths, Boiler-makers and Machinery works, and everything necessary for the Repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers, The Company have also opened a Shipyard by the side of the Hongkong Dock, and are ready to contract for the construc-

At Whampoa the Company have four Docks, in which they will take Ships at

tion of Steamers or Sailing Vessels of any

The Steem Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN can be engaged to tow. Vessels to sea, or berth them, at reasonable rates,

For particulars, apply to JOHN INGLIS, Acting Secretary.

A. D. MITCHELL Manager of Works. ompany's Office, H. kong Hotel Building, Hongkong, October 10, 1868,

Insurances

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL, -Two MILLIONS STERLING. fire Undersigned are prepared to grant POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on 1. It is hereby notified for general in Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton, Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE. 1. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding)

I of the Annual Rate, Above I wouth and not exceeding three months, bove 3 m ths

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Above 6 m'the, The full Annual Rate. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Lancashirs Insurance Company Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY. ESTABLISHED 1838.

CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Mesure.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong, Medical Referee, - J. IVOR MURHAY, Esq., M.D. HE Undersigned having been appointed

Managing Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept risks and issue Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of propo-AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Monaging Agents in China.

Hongkoug, June, 1867.

LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Company, are prepared to grant Marine

Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868,

insurances.

JCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. LONDON.

Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are pre pared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

PHOENIX FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. LIVERPOOL, AND LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANIES

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings. or on Goods Stored therein.

Hongkong, September 28, 1868.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co. HE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at the Ports of Tamsus and Kelung, are prepared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR-ANOB at current rates.

DODD & Co. Tamsui, 10th August, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insur-Agents for the above Company at this | ance on the usual Terms. Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.

ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding 1 month, t of the annual rate Above 1 month and

not exceeding 3,... } Above 3 months and not exceeding 6, ... Above 6 months the full annual rate GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents. Imperial Fire Insurance Company Hougkoug, April 7, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. NTIL further notice the following Annual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, viz :-Detached and Semi-detached

Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their Contents. per cent. Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their

Contents. Godowns, Officer, Shops, &c. and their Contents, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS

Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms, GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Con-

. t per cent Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents. - per cent.

der annum. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents, . 1 per cent GILMAN & Co., Agents North British and Mercantile

Insurance Company.

Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILI INSURANCE COMPANY. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:-Not exceeding one 1 of the annual rate. month.

Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 months. Above 3 months, and not exceeding months. Above 6 months. . the full Annual rate.

GILMAN & Co., Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809. CAPITAL £2,000,000

ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

Merchandise in the same. GILMAN & Co Hongkong, June 21, 1864

Insurances.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON,

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, October 14, 1868. NOTICE.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances. Not exceeding I month, 1 per cent, Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, &

Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,..... 3 Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. HULLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

LIFE ASSURANCE. HE Undersigned are authorised to issue Life Policies for sums not exceeding

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868

THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. 4 HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION HE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: One month, Three months, Six months, .

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

NOTICE ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding } tof the Annual Rate. Above 1 month

and not exceeding three months, Above 3 m'the and not exceeding months.

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate; JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Rongkong Fire Insurance Company Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE. ITROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding t of the Annual Rate. Above I mouth

and not exceeding three months. Above 3 m'the and not exceeding months, The full Annual Rate. Above 6 m'ths. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY. CAPITAL, -Two MILLION STERLING.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

NOTICE. BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY,

LIMITED. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at the current Rates. Policies can be made payable at all the principal ports throughout the World. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,

Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, Not exceeding 1 month, 1 of the annual rate. Above I month and not exceeding 3 months, & do.

NOTICE.

Above 3 mouths and MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

MERCHANT'S MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. SAN FRANCISCO. PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.

'I'HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, August 9 1867.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. II HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE HE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine for the above Company are prepared Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Agents in Hongkong for the above to grant Policies against FIRE, to the Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA, SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864,

Insurances.

NOTICE. GUARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON. ESTABLISHED 1821.

CAPITAL £2,000,000. HE Undersigned baying been appointed Agents of the above Company for Hongkong and Canton are prepared to grant Policies at current rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, July 17, 1868.

NOTICE. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances.

Not exceeding One d per cent. Above One Month and not exceeding per cent. Three Months, Above Three Months and not exceeding F per cent.

Six Months, The full Annual Rate Above Six Months. of 1 per cent. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE.

Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool.

> REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR

FIRE INSURANCE. THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Er-

FECTS, therein contained, In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed from the Town, the rate of Premium will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings

follows, until further notice, viz. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents. Other Dwelling-Houses (simi-

and their contents will therefore remain as

larly situated) and their, Contents. ž per cent First Class China House and their Contents, 1 per cent. Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Agents Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, November 9, 1866. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above

Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co, Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named COMPANY are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates. RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, April 1, 1865. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-TION OF SHANGHAI. THE Undersigned having been appointed A Secretaries and Agents of this Associ-

ation, are prepared to issue Policies upon

Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Fouchow and Shanghai. In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year. lifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rata to

the amount o premium paid by each po-RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THEE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSUL. ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policovering Marine. Risks, at the current

FUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

SAMARAN & SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents in Macao for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine Risks at the current Rates. RAYNAL & Co. Macao, August 4, 1866.

DE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY OF BATAVIA. SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR ANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the shove named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual

Hongkong, August 1866.

NOTICE. NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY. TROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Perica Insurances:--Not exceeding one month, of the Annual rate.

SIEMSSEN & Co.

Above one month andnotexceeding 3 months, Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months,....

Above 6 months,..., the full annual rate, TURNER & Co.

Hongkong, April 13, 1868,

HONGKONG.

Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

Exclusive of Arrivals, Departures and Clearances reported to-day.

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Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Guns.	Tons.	Captain.
Adventure	British	steamer	2	1794	Hy. J. Raby, V.C. Capt.
Algerine,	British	gun-boat	8	299	H.R.C. Grey, R.N., Lieut.
Bouncer	British	gun-boat	- 3	230	Rodney Lloyd, Lt. C.
Cockchafer	British	gun-boat	-	250	H. W. Kerr
Flamer	British	naval hospital	-	230	Attached to Melville
Grasshopper	British	gun-boat	3	230	In ordinary.
Iroquois	U. States	steam-sloop	6	1000	Earl English
Janus	British	gun-boat	14	167	Leicester C. Keppel
Meeanee	British	Military Hospital	,	2591	Hospital ship
Melvilie	British	naval hospital	* 2		Geo. B. Hill, D.I.G.
Oneida	U. States	steam-sloop	10	1032	Creighton
Perseus	British	steam sloop	17	955	C. J. Stevens
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	14.	2443	Commodore Oliver J. Jones
Piscataqua	U. States	steam-sloop	_	3177	— Ammen
Rinaldo	British	steamer	, ,		Lord C. Scott
Sylvia	British	steamer	_	111111	Brooker
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Fire Dart	Do.	380		H., C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany
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Poyang	Do.	379	Benning	Union Dock Company a Tug.
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Sir J. Jeejeebhoy	Do.	101		Q. Acheong
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Spec	Do.		Graves	Thomas Hunt & Co
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